

SPRING OPENING!

SATURDAY, APRIL 3, WITH 14 SPECIAL SALE DAYS FOLLOWING

Ending Saturday, April 17, and will be the largest sale in the history of this establishment.

ARE YOU A MISSOURIAN? If you are let us show you we have the goods you want and lots of them. Its our business to show you Furniture, Carpets, Rugs, Curtains, Draperies, Pianos, Graphophones and Records, China and Glassware. To speak in earnest, we are in a position to furnish your house complete. A few reminders of prices during this sale. Read prices below:

Carpet-Curtain-Drapery Department.

Here is where we shine. We have the best collection in the way of patterns and quality in Carpets, Rugs, Curtains and Draperies we have ever offered.

Best quality washable granite, 35c grade, sale price, yard...	.25	Lace curtains, \$1.25 grade....	.75
60c all-wool C C carpet, sewed.	.45	" " 1.50 "90
75c all-wool best quality Lowell & Hartford ingrain carpet, sale price, sewed.....	.57 1/2	" " 1.75 "	1.25
\$1.50 Wilton Velvet carpet, sale price, yard, sewed.....	1.05	" " 6.00 "	4.00
9x12 Hartford rugs, worth \$16, our price.....	12.25	Lace Curtains.....	\$1.00
\$26 Axminster rugs, sale price.	19.00	" " " " " " " " " " " "	.90
27x54 Wilton " " " " " " " " " " " "	1.25	Ask to see our fancy line of curtains, ranging in price from \$2 to \$30.	
We imported direct from the Orient our entire line of mattings. They are fresh, up-to-date patterns, ranging in price from 10c per yard up.			
Ask to see our genuine Panama Matting, \$1.50 grade, per yd....			
	\$1.00	\$2 couch covers \$1.25.	
		3 lb. feather pillow, regular \$1 grade, for 70c.	
		25c window shades, sale price, \$.15	
		35c window shades, sale price, .25	
		35c ruffled curtains, sale price, .25	
		65c ruffled curtains, sale price, .50	
		\$1.25 " " " " " " " " " " " "	.85
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Bed spreads to match all \$1.35 ruffled curtains, per set.. 3.50
Fine net for lace curtains, 15c and 20c per yard.

25c Assortment.

Ask to see our 25c assortment. This is absolutely the biggest thing that was ever offered. Some things worth as much as \$1.25. No article in the assortment worth less than 50c. All goes for a quarter of a dollar.

We are exclusive agents for Chienamel.

Store Phone 31.

Residence Phones 153 and 246

Our Piano Department.

We have a fine line of Pianos, ranging in price from \$95 up. We are exclusive agents for Story & Clarke, Smith & Barnes, A. B. Chase, Chickering and other makes of high grade Pianos. We can save you money in this department. Come and make us show you.

Our Graphophone Department.

We also have an extensive line of Victor, Columbia and Edison Graphophones, records and supplies.

\$8.00 guaranteed felt top mattress,	\$5.50
2 50 excelsior cotton top mattress,	1.55
2.75 coal spring.....	1.75
4.00 willow rocker.....	1.95
2.75 iron bed.....	1.60
12.50 dresser.....	7.55

Anticipating the pleasure of a visit to our spring opening. A handsome vase free as a souvenir to all ladies.

J. H. Wallovick Mercantile Co.

MARCELINE, MISSOURI.

CHARITON COURIER

C. P. VANDIVER, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

KEYTESVILLE, MISSOURI

Suckers.

A street faker as smooth as oil, bedecked with diamonds and glib of tongue struck Keytesville Wednesday and set up in business in the street on the east side of the Bank of Keytesville. He sold a poor quality of razors, scissors and Wallace Bros.' silver ware at prices much higher than similar goods could be bought for of local dealers—in fact, a better class of goods are sold here for less money.

But as long as there are suckers such gentry as this stranger will thrive at the expense and chagrin of his victims.

MORAL: Don't be a sucker, but when you want a square deal patronize your home merchants. It is always in bad taste to act like you had more money than sense, but that is just what you do when you are taken in by a faker.

Broke an Arm.

While feeding his horses Ed Huddle of five or six miles northwest of Keytesville had the large bone of his right arm broken by being shoved against the side of stall by one of the equines. Dr. B. Hughes of this city set the broken bone.

Wool Wanted.

We want all the wool we can get and for which we will pay the highest market price in CASH.

C. S. PATNOTT & Co.,
Keytesville, Mo.

Business Birds.

Single Comb White Leghorns, HEAVY LAYERS, eggs for hatching 50 cts. for 15 or \$3 per 100. White Holland turkeys, pure bred, eggs \$3 for 11, baby chicks \$7 per 100.

MRS. ELLA WELCH,
R. F. D. No. 1, Keytesville, Mo.

For Sale.

Rose Comb White Leghorn eggs at \$3 for 100, and Barred Plymouth Rock eggs at \$1 for 15, Mrs. W. R. DORSON,
R. F. D. No. 2, Keytesville, Mo.

Prairie Hill Pickings.

Miss Russie Fawks is visiting in Carrollton.

We are sorry to hear that Will Chrane's baby is worse again.

Cecil Fawks of Carrollton visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Pearl Sims left Monday for a brief visit with relatives in Moberly.

Mrs. Emma Gunn of Huntsville visited her daughter, Mrs. Roy Lines, last week.

J. C. McCrary of Columbia, Mo., was here on business Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. John Danner, who has been sick for some time, is, we are glad to say, improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Petre of Clarence are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. John Danner.

We are glad to note Melvin Epperly able to be up and around after a serious attack of pneumonia.

Prosecuting Attorney J. E. Montgomery and C. P. Vandiver of Keytesville were here Monday on business.

Prairie Hill high school closed Friday after six and a half months of successful work. There were three graduates, Misses Virgie Sterner, Isabel McDermitt and Forrest Sears.

Misses Alpha McCloud and Myrtle Sears entertained class No. 3 of the Christian Sunday-school Friday evening at the home of Miss McCloud. The entertainment was given in honor of their beloved teacher, Miss Pearl Sims. Guests, consisting of members of the class and one friend of each, began to arrive at about 7:30 p. m. and began to take part in the amusements as they arrived, such as "the Rabbit and Chicken," "Photo Gallery," etc. The winners were Misses Pearl Sims and Lloyd Gray.

In the guessing at advertisements, represented by pictures, the winner was Chris Young. The pull-and-let-loose-of-string contest was also a feature. Last, but not least, the guests were led into the dining-room, beautifully decorated in green, to a bountiful and elegant three-course supper, which came at a good time and touched a responsive appetite. About 12

o'clock the guests began to depart, all expressing thanks for the enjoyable time, and awarded Misses Alpha and Myrtle the honor of being among the first of hostesses.

Westville Walks.

Miss Bertha Callahan has recently been very ill.

Clyde W. Davis delivered hogs to Geo. Lambert at Marceline Saturday.

There will be Easter services at Westville Union church Sunday, April 11.

Mrs. S. O. Maughas recently presented her husband with a little daughter.

A much-needed rain fell Monday night which will start the grass to growing.

Farmers of this locality are busy fencing and some have begun plowing for oats.

Services at White Oak Monday and Tuesday evenings by Rev. Sears of Clifton Hill.

Miss Hattie Wilson has been employed to teach the White Oak spring term of school.

Charles Davis, an aged citizen of this community, has been in very poor health lately.

Dr. Isaiah Knott of Keytesville was called to Westville on professional business last week.

Miss Inez Davis returned from Pritchett college at Glasgow Sunday for a visit to her parents.

Mrs. Robert Green and daughter, Miss Pearl, went to Marceline Saturday to have some dental work done.

An operation was performed on Jack Hedrick Sunday for appendicitis. We failed to learn the name of the surgeon. Dr. L. M. Asbury was the physician in attendance.

Mule for Sale.

I have a good coming 5-year-old horse mule, a little over 15 hands high, for sale at my farm, two miles southeast of Mike.

CHAS. SMITH.

Notice.

Don't forget for a minute that Jefferson & Huechan, Keytesville, Mo., pay the highest market price in cash for all kinds of poultry, eggs, butter, hides, tallow, etc. See them before you sell.

Plain View Pickings.

Rev. Staats will preach at Plain View next Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Lake and Mrs. Claib Lake visited John Lake and wife Tuesday.

The severe wind and rain Monday night played havoc with the telephone lines again.

Rev. J. W. Green of Marceline filled his appointment at Plain View Sunday at 11 and again at night.

Matt Fox of Rothville, who has not been having very good health for some time, is preparing to go to Iowa, thinking a change will be beneficial.

The surveyor from Keytesville is in this neighborhood surveying land for several of the neighbors. We don't know whether he will be able to give them all more land or not.

Ollie Conrad one day last week had a cow to get mired in the branch and as he was trying to pull her out, tail hold, he slipped and lit flat on his back in the water, and he said he didn't see anything to laugh at.

Uncle Sam has again, against the peace and dignity of some of our people, changed our mail route, but if we don't like it we can take the less of it. He is the worst uncle we have. He never asked us one word about it.

At the annual school meeting held at the Raub schoolhouse in district No. 5, township 56, range 17, the following business was transacted: Two directors were elected, one for three years and the other for one year, J. F. Pratt of Selisbury and C. C. Carlstead of Brunswick were the candidates for county school commissioner, J. F. Pratt receiving 15 votes and Carlstead 3.

Spring and Summer Millinery.

I am showing the most beautiful assortment of newest millinery styles ever exhibited in Sumner. The latest styles in trimmed and ready-to-wear hats for women, misses and children. I exhibit millinery that is correct in style and appropriate for spring and summer wear at the lowest prices ever quoted in this vicinity. You will undoubtedly find something to please you at a very low price.

MRS. L. SHARP,
Sumner, Mo.

Stock Directory.

At J. E. Mitchell's farm, known as the John Bushnell place, four miles northwest of Keytesville, Sir Davit III, a dark brown, purebred Clydesdale stallion, 7 years old, 16 1-2 hands high and weighing 1,600 pounds, and Tax-Payer, a mammoth 4-year-old black jack, registered, 16 hands high, one of the best jacks in Chariton county, will make the season of 1909, the former at \$8 and the latter at \$10 to insure a colt 10 days old.

At Private Sale.

A golden oak sideboard, nearly new. Will sell it at one-half of cost price. A combination table and washstand, bed springs, mattress, washstand, some chairs and a good hard coal baseburner. Apply to Mrs. C. P. Vandiver, Keytesville, Mo.

Black Lanshang Eggs.

For sale at 35 cts. per setting of 15 or \$2 per hundred.

J. L. BENNETT,
R. F. D. No. 1 Keytesville, Mo

Final Settlement Notice.

Creditors and all others interested in the estate of Mrs. Elizabeth G. Horton, deceased, are hereby notified that at the next regular term of the Chariton County Probate Court, to be begun and held on the second Monday in May, 1909, at the Courthouse in Keytesville, in said county, I shall make final settlement of said estate.

JAS. G. OLDFHAM, Administrator.

Executrix's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters testamentary on the estate of R. R. Porterfield, deceased, have been granted me by the Probate Court of Chariton County, bearing date January 9, 1909. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from having any benefit of said estate, and if such claims are not presented within two years they shall be forever barred.

REBECCA ANN PORTERFIELD, Executrix.

Pasture.

I have grass for 100 cattle at 40 cts. per head per month. Plenty of water and shade. Near Mendon.

W. H. BLUME,
Sumner, Mo.

Rhode Island Red Eggs.

Single Comb Rhode Island Red eggs for sale by Mrs. E. W. Glenn, Indian Grove, Mo., at 50 cts. per setting of 15 or \$3 per hundred.

...HOME BAKERY...

J. P. HASKIN, Proprietor.

FANCY CAKES AND
PASTRIES ALWAYS
ON HAND

ICE CREAM PARLOR
AND LUNCH ROOM
NOW IN CONNECTION

Phone 180. Keytesville.